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Application No.: 10/798,738
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the April 17, 2006 Office Action, Applicant hereby elects Group II, the method claims 21-33, and cancels claims 1-20 and 34-37 (Groups I and III) without prejudice to any current or future patent application covering the same or similar subject matter.

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Preliminary to any substantive examination of the elected method claims, however, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner further cancel these original method claims 21-33 and replace them with the new claims recited below, again, without prejudice to any or future patent application covering the same or similar subject matter:

Amendments to the Specification. None.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings. None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

